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Cont composed of a notifying section which notifies the price of the article or service to the mobile phone in response to the request from the first request section. The mobile phone is composed of a second request section which request the settlement processing of the price to the financial institution for user dealings in response to the notice from the notifying section.

Page 3, replace the paragraph bridging pages 3 and 4 with the following new paragraph:

A2 Also, a race ticket purchasing and adjusting system is disclosed in Japanese Laid Open Patent application (JP-A-Heisei 10-40321). The race ticket purchasing and adjusting system is composed of an IC card, a terminal and a management unit which is installed in a race place. The terminal is composed of a card attachment section for a IC card, a communication section which carries out data communication by the management unit and a public communication network, an input section for inputting the data of a desired race vote ticket, a display section for displaying the data inputted by the input section, data about a relayed image of the race and data of the race sent from the management unit, and data in the IC card, and a selecting section for selecting the image and the data to be requested to the management unit. The management unit is composed of a communication section for carrying out data communication by the terminal and the public communication network, a first camera for picking up the race, a second camera for picking up participation before the race, and a file section which stores data about the race. The management unit accepts the purchase of the desired race ticket from the terminal and the purchase data is stored in the file section. Electronic money in the IC card is transmitted from

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cont. the terminal to the management unit to purchase the race ticket. After the race ends, the purchase data of the race ticket in the IC card is transmitted from the terminal to the management unit. When it is confirmed that the purchase data exists in the file section in the center, electronic money for the pay out corresponding to the purchase data is transmitted from the management unit to the terminal and is stored in the IC card.

Page 10, replace the paragraph bridging pages 10 and 11 with the following new paragraph:

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A card verification system of the present invention is composed of a card on which a card identification code is registered. A read unit reads the card identification code from the card. A verification apparatus verifies the card only when an existing place of the read unit belongs to an area corresponding to the card identification code. The card is a card used for settlement, and is used when the card identification code is read by the read unit. The use place of the card is coincident with the existing place of the read unit. By adding the use place of the card to a verification condition of the card, unjust use of the card can be prevented.

Page 12, replace the second full paragraph with the following new paragraph:

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The card verification method may further include the steps of: deleting the recorded area; and when the area is not recorded in the recorder, prohibiting the settlement. The user of the card can interrupt the use of the card without declaration of the interruption of the card to a card management company. It is desirable that the card is a credit card.

Page 13, replace the paragraph bridging pages 13 and 14 with the following new paragraph:

Q5 The mobile phone system 2 is composed of a base station 12, a mobile phone 11 and a switching apparatus 13, and as a typical example, is a system defined in RCR 27. If it is a radio phone system in which it is possible to specify the position of the mobile phone 11, the mobile phone system 2 may be a system other than the system defined in RCR 27 (e.g. PHS system, and so on,). The base station 12 is connected with the switching apparatus 13 and broadcasts notice information repeatedly to the mobile phone 11. A position code is contained in the report information in correspondence to cells of a plurality of base stations or an area composed of a plurality of cells. The mobile phone 11 receives the report information from the base station 12 and recognizes its own position code. The mobile phone 11 transmits a position registration signal to the switching apparatus 13 via the base station 12 through the operation of the mobile phone by the owner and so on. The position registration signal contains a position code and a mobile phone code corresponding to the mobile phone 11. The mobile phone 11 is further composed of a position registration timer and transmits the position registration signal to the switching apparatus 13 every time the position registration timer times out. Moreover, the mobile phone 11 transmits a position registration cancel signal to the switching apparatus 13 in response to an operation of the mobile phone by the owner.
